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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a subscriber of Sonics highly affordable local internet service (much cheaper than service offered by AT&T or Comcast). Eliminating the requirement that large telcos allow access to their backhauls by local competitors would force us to use slower services or pay considerably more for service from the large telcos.

Sincerely,

Hyde Patterson